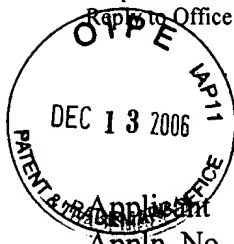


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Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE "C"

Sir:

This communication is filed in response to the Office Action dated August 9, 2006 (Paper No. 20060726). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expired on November 9, 2006. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request and petition that the response date be extended for one month, up to and including, December 9, 2006. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$120.00 for the extension of time fee.

The following remarks are made for the Examiner's consideration.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.

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